Monroe County Substance Abuse Coalition

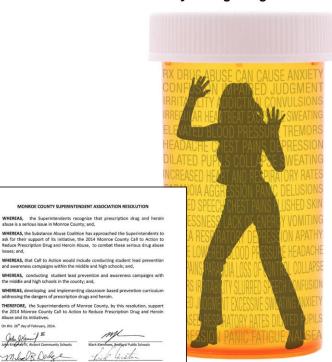
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# STUDENT PREVENTION LEADERSHIP TEAMS



## Monroe County Michigan 150,000+ Residents 9 School Districts

Do you know what you're getting into?



MONROE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT ASSOCIATION RESOLUTION

and awareness campaigns within the middle and high schools; and,

addressing the dangers of prescription drugs and heroin.

abuse is a serious issue in Monroe County; and,



www.drugabuse.gov/peerx



#### **Leadership Team Development**

- o Identify High School Student Leaders and an Advisor
- Train the Trainer
- Strategic Planning
  - Peer Prevention
  - Community Prevention
  - Middle School Mentoring
- Proposal for Resources
- Implementation





**Students Prevention Leadership Team** 





#### Students Prevention Leadership Team Targeted Campaigns

- Prescription Drug Prevention
- Marijuana Prevention
- Tobacco Prevention
- Underage Drinking Prevention
- New and Emerging Trends







**Students Prevention Leadership Team** 

## **Examples**

- Awareness Weeks
- Drug Facts Chat Day
- Classroom Peer Education
- Assemblies/Speakers
- Pledge Walls
- Social Media
- Poster Contests







#### **PROGRESS**

# MONROE COUNTY YOUTH REPORT DECREASED SUBSTANCE ABUSE RATES

MICHIGAN PROFILE FOR HEALTHY YOUTH REPORTS FROM 11TH GRADE STUDENTS IN MONROE COUNTY

TOBACCO USE DOWN 25.5%

2008 52.8% 2012 33.2%

2014 27.3%

ALCOHOL USE

DOWN

13.7%

2008 75.5% 2012 62.3%

2014 61.8%

DOWN
9.2%

2008 50.8%

2012 44.9%

2014 41.6%

PRESCRIPTION DRUG USE

DOWN

4.5%

2008 9.8%

2012 6.8%

2014 5.3%

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